

ARMS PLANT FIRES PART OF HUGE PLOT

U. S. Detectives Had Warning of
Arson Gang's Plans—Seek-
ing Finance Head.

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were it not for the fact that the Government is more anxious about tracing the conspiracy to its source than about arresting individual members of the arson band.
Industrial concerns have been given to understand that the Government would expect them to provide their own protection by the employment of private detectives, by scrupulous care against letting strangers enter their plants and by seeking the protection of the local State and municipal authorities.
The Federal Government is not concerned about the safety of any single munition plant, its invasion or destruction by conspirators who may be punished under the State arson laws. The Federal Government is concerned about gathering evidence about an invasion of the United States by foreign plotters and is conducting its investigation entirely with the idea of tracing the plot to responsible representatives of foreign nations in this country.

Giving Plenty of Rope.
It therefore is said to be the policy of the Government to give the plotters plenty of rope and avoid arrests as long as possible in the hope of being able to put every member of the conspiracy under surveillance and trace them to the headquarters where they receive their orders, their arsenals, bombs or time clocks, and, most important of all, their pay and expense money.

The central headquarters of the arson plotters is believed to be in New York. But since the endeavor of former Ambassador Dumbas to organize his compatriots in the country who want to prevent munition shipments to the allies, but takes in every form of activity in the interest of the belligerent nations in Europe.
One feature that the Department of Justice is deeply interested in, for instance, is the maintenance of skilled cutters in front of the newspaper bulletin boards. Government investigators are convinced that these defenders of submarine murders, even of American women and children, are not volunteer workers in the cause. They are convinced that several bulletin-board orators are paid agents and that their presence constitutes a violation of this country's neutrality.

Several of the most prominent bulletin-board orators have been under surveillance for a considerable time, and Government agents are especially investigating their means of support.

**\$1,000,000 Damage Done
By Fire at Bethlehem
Steel Munitions Plant**

SOUTH BETHLEHEM, Pa., Nov. 12.—The damage done by the fire in No. 4 machine shop at the Bethlehem Steel Company will be about \$1,000,000. This was the figure given out today by a high official of the company.

Work on rebuilding the machine shop on even a larger basis than before will begin at once.

It is expected that within two months work can be resumed in the new building.

**SAYS HOT WATER
WASHES POISONS
FROM THE LIVER**

Everyone should drink hot water with phosphate in it, before breakfast.

To feel as fine as the proverbial fiddle, we must keep the liver washed clean, almost every morning, to prevent its sponge-like pores from clogging with indigestible material, sour bile and poisonous toxins, says a noted physician.

If you get headaches, it's your liver. If you catch cold easily, it's your liver. If you wake up with a bad taste, turned tongue, nasty breath or stomach becomes rancid, it's your liver. Ballow skin, muddy complexion, watery eyes all denote liver trouble. The liver is the most important, also the most abused and neglected organ of the body. It knows its function or how to release the dammed-up waste, bile and toxins. Most folks resort to violent calomel, which is a dangerous, salivating chemical, and only be used occasionally because it accumulates in the tissues, also attacks the bones.

Every man and woman, sick or well, should drink each morning before breakfast, a glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate. In it, to wash from the liver and bowels the previous day's indigestible material, the poisons, sour bile and toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and refreshing the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach. Limestone phosphate does not restrict the diet like calomel, because it can not salivate, for it is harmless and you can eat anything afterwards. It is inexpensive and almost tasteless, and any pharmacist will sell you a quarter pound, which is sufficient for a demonstration of how hot water and limestone phosphate cleanse, stimulate and refresh the liver, keeping you feeling fit day in and day out.—Advt.

**Various Forms
Of Headache**

"It is necessary in order to treat headaches properly to know the causes which produce the affection," says Dr. J. W. Ray of Blockton, Ala. Continuing, he says: "Physicians cannot begin the treatment of a disease without knowing what causes give rise to it, and we must remember that headache is to be treated according to the same rule. It must not only be particular to give a remedy intended to counteract the cause which produces the headache, but we must also give a remedy to relieve the pain until the cause of the headache has been removed. To answer this purpose Anti-kamnia Tablets will be found a most convenient and satisfactory remedy. One tablet every one to three hours gives comfort and rest in the most severe cases of headache, neuralgia and particularly the headaches of women." "When we have a patient subject to regular attacks of sick headache, we should caution him to keep his bowels regular, for which nothing is better than 'Actoids,' and when he feels the least sign of an oncoming attack, he should take two or three Anti-kamnia Tablets. Such patients should always be instructed to carry a few Anti-kamnia Tablets, so as to have them ready for instant use. These tablets are prompt in action, and can be depended on to produce relief in a very few minutes. Ask for A-K Tablets. Anti-kamnia Tablets can be obtained at all druggists.—Advt.

DISASTERS TO MUNITIONS PLANTS SINCE WAR BEGAN

The fire in the Roebing plant in Trenton yesterday was the third in a war plant in the United States in twenty-four hours. The Baldwin Locomotive Works' plant, at Eddystone, Del., burned on Wednesday, with a loss of \$50,000, and on the same day the Bethlehem Steel Company's ordnance plant, in Bethlehem, Pa., was destroyed, with a loss of \$1,500,000.

Fires and explosions have occurred in munitions plants and trains since the start of the European war, as follows:

August 30, 1914—Du Pont de Nemours powder plant, Pompton; explosion; one killed.
January 18, 1915—Buckthorne plant of John A. Roebing's Sons Company, Trenton, N. J.; fire; loss, \$1,500,000.
March 6—Du Pont de Nemours powder plant, Haskell, N. J.; explosion; five killed.
April 1—Equitable Powder factory, Alton, Ill.; explosion; five men killed.
May 12—Anderson gun cotton warehouse, Wallington, N. J.; explosion; three killed.
May 15—Du Pont de Nemours still house, Carney's Point, N. J.; explosion; six injured.
June 28—Du Pont de Nemours plant, Wayne, N. J.; explosion.
July 7—Harrison Brothers' benzol factory, Philadelphia; fire; loss, \$500,000.
July 25—Pennsylvania railroad train, laden with munitions for allies, wrecked, Metuchen, N. J.

When machine shop No. 4 was enlarged, shortly after the outbreak of the European war, due to the receipt of large orders, a record was made, in that the building was constructed in just five weeks. This record in construction is expected to be broken. Hardly had the ruins been cooled sufficiently to allow an inspection when the "clean up" gang was put to work. Such of the valuable machinery—planers, lathes, drills, shapers, boring mills, etc.—as can be reclaimed will be sent to some one of the half a dozen machine shops for repair as well as the pieces of field artillery which have not been damaged beyond repair.

One hundred carpenters have been put at work, and as soon as the structural work is completed the riggers and bricklayers will take hold. All of the 2,100 men made idle were given employment in other departments.

It was learned that just about the time machine shop No. 4 was being destroyed there were three other fires discovered in other parts of the works. All were extinguished without great loss. Whether these fires were due to causes other than accidents is now the subject of an investigation.

The fact that the building had been considered fireproof and that the fire started at a vulnerable spot, the base of the elevator shaft, and at a time of the day when vigilance in the plant is to some degree relaxed due to the changing of the shifts, are looked upon as more than mere coincidences.

CHURCH OBSERVING 50TH ANNIVERSARY

Three Former Pastors of First
Congregational Are Attend-
ing Special Services.

Three of the five pastors who have served the First Congregational Church in the fifty years of its existence will attend the anniversary meeting in the church auditorium at Tenth and G streets northwest this evening, where the first of a series of seven special services will be held last night. The ministers will be the Rev. Dr. Stephen M. Newman, who was pastor from 1883 till 1906; the Rev. Dr. Samuel H. Woodrow, pastor from 1907 to 1913, and the Rev. Dr. Jay T. Stocking, pastor from 1913 to 1915. Dr. Newman is now president of Howard University; Dr. Woodrow is pastor of the Pilgrim Congregational Church, in St. Louis, and Dr. Stocking has recently become pastor of a church in New Jersey. The greetings from the former pastors will be followed by the reading of a letter from the church's foreign missionary, the Rev. Lorin S. Gates, now in India. An illustrated talk on Washington fifty years ago will be given by Frederick L. Fishback, after which there will be an informal reception in the social room.

A history of the church was read last night by W. L. Clift. A church delegation from this church called on President Johnson in 1865 and urged him to inaugurate the practice of a Presidential Thanksgiving proclamation every fall, which he did. James G. Blaine attended services there and was standing on the church steps when he received a sunstroke one Sunday morning in June, 1878. This is believed by many to have influenced the nomination made by the Republican national convention, which was then in session in this city.

A woman's meeting will be held in the church tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Mrs. Julia T. Bodfish presiding. There will be an organ recital at the church tomorrow evening at 8 by William Stanfield, p. R. C. O. and services will be held Sunday morning and evening at the usual hours, and Sunday afternoon at 2:30.

Anna Case, Prima Donna, To Sing at Press Club

Anna Case, the American prima donna of the Metropolitan Opera Company, will be the guest of the evening at a special ladies' night to be held at the National Press Club tonight. Miss Case is making her first appearance in Washington this afternoon, and will be heard in grand opera selections at the New National Theater. Another feature of the Press Club entertainment will be the first private showing of Mary Pickford in "Madam Butterfly," a Paramount motion picture film.

Baltimore Wife Slayer
Pays Extreme Penalty

BALTIMORE, Nov. 12.—Benjamin E. Davis, thirty-eight, convicted in Baltimore county for the murder of his wife, Mary Davis, last January at St. Denis, was hanged this morning in the yard of the jail.

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Mrs. H. S. Carlson, of Wakefield, Neb., testifies to the relief she experienced from the use of Fruitola and Traxo:

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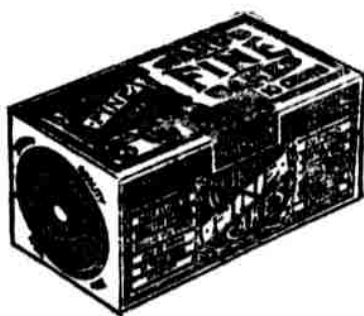
For the convenience of the public, arrangements have been made to supply Fruitola and Traxo through representative druggists. In Washington they can be obtained at O'Donnell's, 904 F St. N. W.

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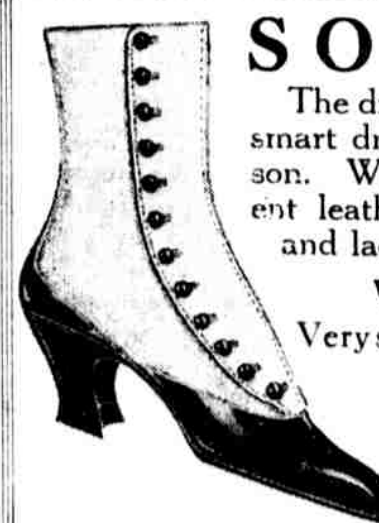
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Black Eyed Peas, per lb. 5c	Apple Cider, finest quality, gallon 22c	Peerless Milk, large can 7 1/2c

Aunt Jemima Buckwheat . . . 9c	Pure Maple Syrup, pint . . . 24c	Washing Soda, 3 lbs. for . . . 5c	Lea & Perrin's Sauce . . . 24c
Aunt Jemima Pancake . . . 9c	Pure Maple Syrup, quart . . . 45c	Red Seal Lye, can 4 1/2c	Durkee's Challenge Sauce . . 9c
Karo Syrup, No. 2 9c	Mansfield Syrup . . . 9c, 14c, 23c	Spotless Cleanser, can . . . 4 1/2c	Apple Vinegar, gallon . . . 25c
Karo Syrup, No. 2 1/2 . . . 11c	La France Tablets 4c	Old Dutch Cleanser, can . . . 8c	Apple Vinegar, bottle . . . 9c
Karo Syrup, No. 5 22c	Log Cabin Syrup, pint . . . 22c	Small bottle Ammonia . . . 5c	Umberto Olive Oil, quart . . 6c
Karo Syrup, No. 10 40c	Log Cabin Syrup, quart . . . 39c	Large bottle Ammonia . . . 8c	Umberto Olive Oil, pint . . 37c
Sanitary Syrup, can . . . 10c	Ivory Soap, cake 4c	Bon Ami 8c	Umberto Olive Oil, 1/2 pt. . 21c
Duff's Pure Molasses, 10c size . . . 9c	Ivory Soap, 10c size . . . 7c	Sapallo 8c	Olives, 25c bottle 15c
Duff's Pure Molasses, No. 2 1/2 size . . . 18c	Fels Naptha Soap 4c	Bluing, 6 cubes 4c	Stuffed Olives, 25c bottle . . 18c
Palmetto Molasses . . . 10c & 15c	Star Soap, cake 4c	Bluing, bottle 4c	24 sheets Waxed Paper . . 3c
	White Naptha Soap 4c	Blue Label Chili Sauce . . . 24c	Small can Tuna Fish . . . 12c
			Large can Tuna Fish . . . 18c

Gold Medal Buckwheat . . . 8c	Lenox Soap, cake 3c
Gold Medal Pancake 8c	Blue Label Catsup, 15c . . . 13c
	Blue Label Catsup, 25c . . . 20c

Large Stalks of CELERY 7 1/2c	WINE SAP APPLES, per peck, 40c
Large Juicy GRAPEFRUIT, 3 for 25c	SMOKED SAUSAGE, pound 12 1/2c
	Vienna Style

Fancy Smoked Hams, per lb. . 17c	White Potatoes, peck . . . 22c
BREAD—3 loaves for . . . 10c	Grimes Golden Apples, peck, 40c

Onions, 1/4 peck 10c	Canned Tomatoes, can 7 1/2c	Pride of Montgomery Flour 6-lb. bag 20c	Green Bag Special Coffee Leads them all, lb. 22c
Sweet Potatoes, peck 25c	Blue Ridge Corn, can 7 1/2c	12-lb. bag 39c	Sanitary Brand Butter, per lb. . . 33c
Cranberries, lb., 8c; 3 lbs. for . . . 25c	Silver Label Peas, can 8c	24-lb. bag 75c	Guaranteed equal to any you can buy only one grade sold by us, and only one price
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